

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : : EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
Alan SMITH : : Response under 37 CFR 1.116  
: Confirmation No. 8736  
Serial No. 10/596,642 : : Group Art Unit: 3746  
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For: PISTON PUMP WITH CAM FOLLOWER ARRANGEMENT (as amended)

**AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116**

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Sir:

This paper is submitted in reply to the Office Action mailed January 7, 2010, which was made Final. Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered to place this application in condition for allowance.